

EXHIBIT SS

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<p>1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 2 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK 3 4 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE) 5 COMMISSION,) 6 Plaintiff,) 7) Case No. 8 vs.) 1:23-cv-1346 (JSR) 9) 10 TERRAFORM LABS PTE LTD. and) 11 DO HYEONG KWON,) 12) 13 Defendants.) 14 15 Videotaped deposition of Matthew Cantieri 16 taken on behalf of the Plaintiff at the offices of 17 Kobre & Kim, 1919 M Street NW, Washington, D.C. 18 beginning at 9:32 a.m. and ending at 4:35 p.m. on 19 Wednesday, August 30, 2023 before Tina M. Alfaro, 20 Registered Professional Reporter, Registered Merit 21 Reporter, and Certified Realtime Reporter. 22 23 24 25 JOB No. 230830TIA</p> <p>1</p>	<p>1 INDEX 2 EXAMINATION 3 WITNESS PAGE 4 MATTHEW CANTIERI 5 By Mr. Carney 6 6 By Mr. Califano 175 7 EXHIBITS 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25</p> <p>3</p>
<p>1 APPEARANCES: 2 ON BEHALF OF THE PLAINTIFF: 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE 4 COMMISSION: 5 BY: CHRISTOPHER CARNEY, ESQ. 6 JAMES CONNOR, ESQ. 7 100 F Street NE 8 Washington, D.C. 20549 9 10 ON BEHALF OF THE DEFENDANTS: 11 DENTONS US, LLP 12 BY: MARK CALIFANO, ESQ. 13 MEAGAN EDMONDS, ESQ. 14 1900 K Street NW 15 Washington, D.C. 20006 16 17 ON BEHALF OF THE WITNESS: 18 KOBRE & KIM, LLP 19 BY: SYDNEY JOHNSON, ESQ. 20 ANDREW LOURIE, ESQ. 21 1919 M Street, NW 22 Washington, DC 20036 23 24 ALSO PRESENT: DeShawn White (videographer) 25</p> <p>2</p>	<p>1 EXHIBITS 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25</p> <p>4</p>

21 MR. CALIFANO: Objection to form.

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1 MR. CALIFANO: Objection to form.

10 Q. Did you ever have any discussions with
11 Mr. Kariya about Jump's efforts to defend the UST
12 peg?
13 A. No.

22 Do you have an understanding of what that
23 paragraph is discussing as it relates to Anchor?
24 A. I do not have direct recollection of this
25 or even seeing this document,

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13 MR. CALIFANO: Objection to form.
14 A. That's the way I interpret that phrase.

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20 MR. CALIFANO: Objection to form.

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14 MR. CARNEY: Can we go off the record,
15 please.
16 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 4:24 p.m.
17 We are now off the record.
18 (A break was had.)
19 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 4:31 p.m.
20 We are now on the record.
21 BY MR. CARNEY:
22 Q. Mr. Cantieri, I just have a couple quick
23 follow-up questions.
24 I had asked you earlier, a few minutes ago
25 whether you had any role in trying to restore the

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1 UST peg in May of 2022, and you responded "I did
2 not have direct conversations with individuals
3 around restoring the peg." Aside from having
4 direct conversations, did you, yourself play any
5 role in trying to restore the UST peg in May 2022?
6 A. I did not.
7 Q. All right. And then finally, we had
8 talked right before the last break about in
9 Exhibit 16, the e-mail that you sent to yourself as
10 a note taking, and you had mentioned that you were
11 sort of composing it this way for purposes of
12 sending out a tweet. Did you ever send out this
13 tweet?
14 A. I cannot recall.
15 Q. And if you had sent out this tweet, would
16 it have been under your personal handle or under
17 the Anchor Protocol handle?
18 A. It could have been either one.
19 Q. And what is your personal Twitter handle
20 at that time?
21 A. MCantieri, first initial, last name.
22 MR. CARNEY: All right. Thank you for
23 your time, Mr. Cantieri. That's all I have right
24 now.
25 THE WITNESS: Thank you, Mr. Carney.

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1 EXAMINATION
2 BY MR. CALIFANO:
3 Q. Okay. I have a few questions I think.
4 Mr. Cantieri, you recall today when
5 Mr. Carney asked you about the May 2021 and '22
6 depegs?
7 A. Yes.
8 Q. Do you remember when he asked you
9 questions about those?
10 A. Yes.
11 Q. Did you have any firsthand knowledge about
12 what was or wasn't done by TFL, Jump, or anyone
13 else in response to either of those depegs?
14 A. I had no firsthand knowledge.
15 Q. And do you have any firsthand knowledge
16 about how Chai worked?
17 A. No firsthand knowledge.
18 Q. If you could take a look at Exhibit 5.
19 Just tell me when you've got it in front of you.
20 A. Yes.
21 Q. Do you have Exhibit 5?
22 A. Yeah.
23 Q. Did you write Exhibit 5?
24 A. I did not.
25 Q. Okay. And do you have any personal

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1 knowledge of what the writer meant to communicate
2 in those notes?
3 A. I do not.
4 Q. Were you aware of anything illegal
5 occurring at TFL while you were employed there?
6 A. I was not.
7 MR. CALIFANO: I don't have any other
8 questions.
9 MR. CARNEY: I don't -- I don't have any
10 more questions. Thank you.
11 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Counsel, does this
12 conclude today's deposition? Okay.
13 This concludes today's deposition. The
14 date is August 30, 2023. The time is 4:35 p.m. We
15 are now off the record.
16 (Whereupon, at 4:35 p.m. the
17 taking of the instant
18 deposition ceased.)
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